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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the new provisional-to-utility patent application of:

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FOR: **ENZYMES HAVING ALPHA AMYLASE ACTIVITY AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF**

Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR § 1.53(b):

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Specification	107
Claims	23
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Enclosure:

- Initial Information Data Sheet (4 pages)
- Return Receipt Postcard

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/270,495, filed February 21, 2001; U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/270,496, filed February 21, 2001 and U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/291,122, filed May 14, 2001, the contents of each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety herein.

Applicants claim **SMALL entity status** in the above-identified application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, a verified statement claiming small entity status is not required.

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